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TRAIL RANGERS HOLD BANQUET

Last Saturday night, Jan. 15th, was the red letter day in the history of the Irma Trail Rangers.

In spite of the disappointing weather nearly every Trail Ranger with his father or mother or both were in attendance. Some fifty people all told were seated at the tables.

The first hour of the evening was spent in singing classical songs such as "Mary had a Little Lamb" etc., and in playing mixed games which were engineered by our genial friend, Mr. Forgie. The next stage was in putting into action the appetite thus created. The banquet under the direction of the mothers and ladies was all that could be desired and the Trail Rangers wish to thank all those who were instrumental in making this part of the program such a huge success.

The decoration of the room, tables, and lights in deep blue and gold gave an artistic touch to the surroundings. After the banquet a list of five minute speeches were made in which the Trail Rangers demonstrated their public speaking abilities. Darrel Peterson, especially without any preparation made a splendid speech. The replies by Warren Peterson, Mr. J. G. Clarke and Mrs. H. Peterson were very interesting as well as instructive, while Alex Smallwood and Charlie Peterson did their parts like old-timers.

The program was concluded with a very interesting address by Mr. Wallace Forgie on the value of boys' work. Everyone came away feeling that in the boy life of today lies the hope of a new and better world than that which brought about the war of 1914-18.

Don't forget the Saturday night dance, Jan. 22nd.

SOCIAL EVENT.

A social evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Elliott on Tuesday Jan. 11th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. D. Nicolls and Mr. and Mrs. J. McNaughton, who are leaving shortly for B.C. During the evening the guests of honor were presented with two handsome suit cases in remembrance of the friends they were leaving in the district. Though taken entirely by surprise, Mr. McNaughton and Mr. Nicolls warmly thanked the gathering for their gifts, after which all joined in singing "Blest Be the Tie that Binds." A tempting lunch was then served by the hostess. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. McNaughton; Mr. and Mrs. Nicolls; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Toll; Mrs. A. Fischer; and George, Mr. and Mrs. G. Arnold; Mr. and Mrs. W. Elliott; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Patterson; Messrs. J. Elliott, E. Costin, C. Costin, Edmonds, Faulkner, and Cameron.

NOTICE.

All members and those intending to exhibit at the Irma Agricultural Society Fair, who desire any revisions in the present prize list are requested to send any changes or additions which they wish to make, by letter, before Feb. 1st, to Mr. W. H. King, Irma, chairman of the revising committee.

—J. W. Milburn, Secy-treas.

Mr. McLennen, of Islay, Alberta, is relieving Mr. Hodson in the Merchants' bank. Teddy has been rather ill and the doctor gave him a trip to take a little rest. He left on Wednesday for the city of Edmonton.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Sunday Services.

1 P. M. Preaching service at Sunny Brae.
3.30 P. M. Preaching service at Roseberry.
7.30 Preaching at Irma.
Sunday School Sessions.
Ross at 1 P. M.
Irma and Alma Mater at 2 P. M.
Roseberry at 2.30 P. M.
Everybody is invited to these services.
C. G. Hockin, Pastor.

These are days when a great deal of thought is given to the young people's problems and life. We want them to have a fair chance to make a success in life and a great deal depends on what use is made of the period of training. Last Sunday we had Mr. Forgie with us in Irma, showing us a program for boys that touches many sides of life and we could well understand the claim of the speaker that such a program carried out would mean much in the days to follow. A full grown man is not simply physically strong but mentally and religiously he shows qualities of strength as well. We will not forget Mr. Forgie's visit nor his message.

Next Sunday we are to have a visit from Miss E. Story, Secretary of the Girls Work Board for Alberta, and we are confident that her message will be as vital, important to the girl and young woman in our district as Mr. Forgie's was to the boy and young man. We have one group of girls organized at Roseberry but we are confident that there will be others after we see the possibilities as Miss Story will present them. Come out on Sunday either to Roseberry at 3.30 or Irma at 7.30 p.m. Other arrangements are being made for Miss Story to meet the mothers and girls in the district.

ALMA MATER.

Alma Mater school opened Jan. 10th under Mr. D. P. Cameron of Ardrossan.

A very enjoyable social evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Elliott last week, when about twenty of neighbors gathered to bid adieu to Mr. J. McNaughton and family, and Mr. Don Nichols and family. During the evening Mrs. R. Patterson read a farewell address to our neighbors, and Mr. Elliott presented each family with a suitcase. After lunch was served all joined in singing "God be With You Till We Meet Again." Messrs. McNaughton and Nicholls families expect to leave this week for Dunster, B. C. We wish them the best of luck in their new homes.

Mr. R. E. Costin who has been teaching near Chauvin is spending a month's vacation with his son Clarence. Alma Mater held their annual school meeting last Saturday afternoon, discussing the reconstruction of the play grounds, the election of one trustee, then took place. Mrs. Cliff Toll was re-elected for three years.

At the school meeting held in Irma school house on Friday, Jan. 14th, Mr. Wyatt was elected trustee in place of Mr. Dison who recently moved to Edmonton. It was also decided to take up the question of Consolidation—and perhaps after all we'll get that "new school."

Mr. W. W. Williams will arrive Friday, the 21st from Toronto where he has been undergoing treatment. No doubt most of us are aware that Dr. Glover is the doctor who discovered the new serum treatment for cancer—and by reports from Mr. Williams, this new treatment is truly efficient and also wonderful.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Hardy are visiting in the city.

Mr. J. W. Graydon spent the week end in Edmonton, attending the meeting of the Central Buying Agency.

Mr. Noble, of Consort, visited at the Flewelling home while in Irma. Mr. Noble was in town in connection with the I.O.O.F. meeting held Friday evening.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Patterson on Wednesday, the 26th January, and thereafter every second and fourth Wednesday in each month.

For Sale—1 fanning mill, practically new. Good running order. Including sieves etc. 1, 22 double disc, Monitor. Can be had at a bargain —Mat Wold, Irma. 42u

Stray—one bay gelding, white hind feet, white strip on face no visible brand. One Hereford steer, white face, branded GX 160 on right ribs. (G is reversed with X below.—John Watson, Sec. 22-46-9.

Stray—on the S.E. quarter of 22-46-9, 1, 4 year old bay gelding, hind feet white white strip on face, Clyde. No visible brand. —John Watson, Irma. 44-6

Estray—on the N.E. quarter 36-47-9, one yearling steer, white face, branded 6KLR, UELH. (half diamond above K and half diamond below UE. —W. H. Mathison. Orbindale. 44-6

Strayed from S. E. quarter, 30-45-9, one yearling steer, Red Poll, branded GR (bar below, and G is reversed) on left shoulder. Any information thankfully received.—J. C. Woods, Irma. 44-6

IRMA MARKET

Prices subject to change without notice.

WHEAT	
No 1	1.68
No 2	1.65
No 3	1.62
OATS	
2 CW	.36
Extra Feed	.33
1 Feed	.30
RYE	
No 2	1.20
Rejected	1.15
BARLEY	
No 3	.59
No 4	.56
No 5	.53
FLAX	
No 1	2.80
No 2	2.76
STOCK	
Cows	3 to 5c
Steers	12c
Hogs	12c
PRODUCE	
Butter	40c
Eggs	60c
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Flour	6.20
Potatoes	.75

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A man, woman or child who does not enjoy good health and the blessing of a sound, strong body is handicapped in life no matter how well off they may be in this world's goods, because nothing else, or all else, can compensate for the lack of health. And the nation that does not take active measures to promote and protect the public health is allowing a weakness to continue and develop which cannot but retard the national growth and prosperity and undermine the national strength.

While good health and a physically fit body is the first and most important item in the equipment of the individual, and the chief asset of the State, second in importance comes a trained and educated mind. A nation of giants if ignorant and illiterate could not accomplish much for their own betterment, and would, in fact, be a menace to the world. Brute force would be their dominating characteristic; they would be a relic of caveman days. Therefore, wise nations and far-seeing Governments place the development of education among the people as one of the foremost duties of the State.

It is in recognition of these facts that, in this series of articles on the duties, functions and methods of government in Canada, attention has been devoted in preceding articles to the work and activities of Government along these lines. However, the possession of health and strength is but equipment to do the world's work, and education is a tool in the hands of the workman wherewith he can do the best possible work in the most efficient manner. Given these essentials, it next becomes the duty of the State to assist people to work along right lines and by the most approved methods, and in ways which will redound to the welfare of the individual and the prosperity and growth of the nation.

There are certain things which each individual must do for himself; there are others which people must accomplish by co-operation and a union of their individual efforts; there are others which are beyond the capabilities of the individual, or groups of individuals, and which must be undertaken by the State in the interests of all if success is to be achieved.

The chief business of the Western Provinces of Canada is agricultural—to produce food, not alone for their own people, but for all the world. Nature itself designed these Provinces for that work, and it is the part of wisdom for Governments to accept Nature's design and assist to the fullest possible extent in working it out. It is only right and proper and good business that one of the most important of the departments of government should be that devoted to agriculture. It is well that this fact has been recognized so fully in all three Prairie Provinces from the earliest days.

The duty of fostering agriculture in Canada is, however, not confined by the Canadian constitution to either the Federal Parliament or the Provincial Legislatures, but is an obligation laid upon all. Unfortunately, this has led to much duplication of effort and over-lapping in services so that full value has not been received by the Dominion for the large sums spent annually for the encouragement and improvement of agriculture.

It is high time that a clear understanding be to their respective fields of endeavor should be arrived at between the Dominion Government on the one hand and the Provincial Governments on the other. There are certain phases of agriculture which are common to the whole Dominion and these might well be set apart as coming within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Federal authority. On the other hand, climatic, soil and other conditions differ so greatly between the Maritime Provinces, the old Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, the three Prairie Provinces, and British Columbia, that it is the height of folly for the Dominion to attempt to deal with many of the questions which engage their attention, and which the several Provinces, owing to local conditions, have likewise been forced to undertake. These might well be left exclusively to the several Provinces to manage as their particular interests demand.

Instead of this being done, it is unfortunately only too true that in many cases when a Province inaugurates a certain line of work in connection with agricultural encouragement and betterment it is a signal for the Federal Department of Agriculture to engage in the same activity, and in other instances Provinces commence a duplication of services being performed by the Dominion. There appears to be a reluctance on the part of officialdom in all our Capitals to abandon any particular branch, possibly because it would mean that some officials would be out of a job; possibly for purely party political reasons. As a result we have dry branches, and livestock branches, and branches devoted to that and that, at Ottawa and all the Provinces, with, of course, duplication of effort and waste of money in many ways.

There is a wonderful opportunity for some one of the nine or ten Ministers of Agriculture in Canada to devise a plan for ending all this confusion, waste and over-lapping, and for the co-ordination of agricultural, educational and experimental work in this Dominion. It will mean the saving of millions of dollars now wasted for an extension of really worth while work in other directions, or enlarging the programmes already being attempted.

Almost Lynched

It happened to a local druggist that sold a cheap acid corn salve instead of the reliable Putnam's Corn Extractor. Substitutes burn the flesh. Putnam's relieves the corn. Use only the best—Putnam's—25c at all dealers.

Ex-Kaiser's Guard

Complains Regarding Job

Policeman at Doorn Says He Has "Thankless Job."

A correspondent the other day found in a confidential mood one of the state police who had for the last two years been to guard the former Emperor William.

"This," he said, "is a thankless job. If I wanted to be dishonest I could make thousands of guilders in bribes. But as I don't, all I get is rebuffs from my superiors if I answer a courteous question for a lighter, and angry looks from the sightseer if I don't."

Mince Meat

A Recipe That Is Declared to Give the Very Best Results.

Two pounds raisins (seeded); 1 pound currants; 1 pound of finely-chopped suet; two and one-half pounds sugar; one-quarter pound citron; one-eighth pound ground cinnamon; 2 grated pippins; juice three lemons. 2 chopped nutmegs; one-half cup cider; 1 teaspoonful ground cloves; mix ingredients in order given. Put away in clean stone crocks and when ready for use stir up well. "This mince meat is so good," one housekeeper declared, "that all my maids used to eat it raw," which, we think, speaks for itself.

The candy, fruits, nuts and raisins we recommend in our menu can be arranged to suit the individual's taste.

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Must Swear Allegiance

Australia Has New Regulations Dealing With Immigrants.

A Melbourne, Australia, despatch to the London Times says that a regulation has been gazetted which will enable the authorities to require any person landing in Australia from Great Britain to take the oath of allegiance. This regulation was formulated owing to a report that a Sinn Féin emissary was bound for Australia.

FRAGILE, PALE AND MISERABLE

The Melancholy State of Thousands of Bloodless Children and Young Girls.

How often do you hear the remark, "She is very delicate?" How often does it mean that some young woman is living in misery, suffering from periods of prostration, dizziness, loss of appetite and disordered digestion. Headaches afflict her at intervals; pain in the back and limbs follow any exertion. She is never really well.

This fragile state of health, this lack of vitality, calls for prompt treatment. The blood must be purified and made strong enough to vitalize the system that is so lacking in energy. In such cases Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have proved remarkably successful in making the new, rich, red blood necessary in restoring tone to the system. Mrs. L. M. Duncan, South Mountain, Ontario, tells of the wonderful benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills made in the case of her young daughter. She says: "It is only right that I should let you know of the good derived from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills by our girls. She was very pale and thin, very thin and not gaining in weight. Her appetite was poor and she had no desire for wholesome food. Finally we decided to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking one box, she went away on a three weeks vacation, taking her pills with her, which she took regularly while she was away. When she returned home we were surprised and delighted to see how well she looked, and to find that she had gained seven pounds in weight. She had a much better color and her appetite had improved so that she was always ready for her meals." She continued using the pills until she had taken seven boxes, and the great improvement they made in her condition was noticed by many around here. I can only add that I believe Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a splendid medicine."

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The young wife has her first doubts of her husband's love when he begins to read the newspaper at breakfast.

Romance of War Watch

Timepiece Taken From German Soldier at Passchendaele Has a History.

At the battle of Passchendaele, J. R. Lowthorpe, of Galt, Ont., took a gem-stone watch in a German metal case from a German soldier as a souvenir. The timepiece kept good time until the other day, and when the possessor opened it to investigate the trouble, he was surprised to see pencil writing on the back of the enamel face, which proved to be an identification mark, and that of a Galt soldier, also "L. Douglas, Galt, Ont., Canada." Presumably "Heintz" took it from this soldier, or found it on the battlefield. Inquiries have failed to locate the Galt soldier by the name of L. Douglas, but Mr. Lowthorpe is anxious that he or his relatives should have the timepiece.

Dust from shoddy mills is used as a fertilizer in England.

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To-day is the time to set your house in order. Why not begin at the front door of your system—the mouth? In your permanent set you have thirty-two teeth. They are arranged to prepare for digesting every kind of food that you can safely eat. Each tooth strikes two in the opposite jaw, and in so doing makes it possible to exert a far greater pressure in masticating food than would be possible if they struck end to end. The use of one tooth causes the other teeth to gradually shift their positions and the more their positions are shifted, the weaker will be the crushing power of the teeth become.

Diseased and decayed teeth have no power to repair themselves as many other parts of the body have. A tooth that is lost from the permanent set will not be replaced by another any more than a lost finger will grow again.

Red blood and energy and vigor depend upon digestion. There can be no perfect digestion after the nursing stage is passed without proper mastication. When the people of Europe saw the American soldiers, the first thing that they noticed was their muscular figures and clear complexions and the next thing their remarkable teeth. They used to say "An army marches upon its stomach," but we know that an army crawls upon its stomach if its teeth are gone.

How long would a soldier hold his front line position with a raging toothache or with a system full of pus from pyorrhea or old roots? How long will anyone keep up to the top notch of dependable energy in the same condition?

If you will give the care to your teeth that will insure them long life and good health, they will do their share and will give you a better chance for a vigorous future than you can get in any other way.

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Manitoba Crops

Manitoba's Field Crop For 1920 Totalled 121,355,600 Bushels. Manitoba's field crop production for 1920 totalled a yield of 121,355,600 bushels for an acreage of 5,791,077, according to an official estimate made public by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture.

The returns were compiled jointly by Dominion statistics officers and the Provincial Department of Agriculture, each of which has received reports from their Manitoba crop correspondents. Reports made by 16,738 farmers, each reporting upon his own farm, form the estimate for the acreage. Yield estimates are based upon the crop correspondents' returns from 800 townships.

New French Trade Treaty.

Negotiations for the conclusion of a new commercial treaty with France are still under way. Considerable advance has been made, but a definite result has not yet been reached. Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, had the matter in his charge when in Paris, but further communications will be necessary.

Many have been relieved of corn by Holloway's Corn Remover. It has a power of its own that will be found effective.

Offer Good Inducement

Birmingham Firm Promised Immunity From Taxes to Establish in Canada.

At a recent meeting of Birmingham manufacturers it was stated that the Walsall firm had had an offer from the Canadian Government of land, tax free for ten years, as an inducement to transfer their factory to the Dominion.

Beige-Colored Crepe Makes a Pretty Dress



By Gertrude Berensford.

One of the fabrics which promises to be very much in vogue in the coming season is crepe. Its dull finish is most effective, while its draping and wearing qualities are admired both by the creator of the dress as well as its wearer. This interesting model is originated in beige-colored crepe. The sleeves are most artistic with their long pleated cuffs. A high neck is featured in this frock and it is finished with a little pleating. A very decorative arrangement is noted on the pleated skirt. The black satin hat shows a trimming of two rows of the pleated crepe.

Saskatchewan's Proposed Water Supply

Huge Project If Undertaken Will Prove of Great Benefit.

One of the most interesting developments in early prospect in the province of Saskatchewan is the diversion of water from the South Saskatchewan River for use in the Regina-Moose Jaw district. The scheme has been pronounced feasible and the only solution of a satisfactory water supply for the district. A commission recommends that legislation be passed to create a water district and give the necessary corporate powers for properly administering it, much the same as we have in the Greater Winnipeg district. The scheme is not a new one. As long ago as the eighties and in 1894 the South Saskatchewan River was suggested as the only satisfactory source of supply for the great Regina-Moose Jaw plains by such eminent engineers as Sir Sanford Fleming and Mr. J. S. Dennis.

The system recommended by the commission will provide for 12,000,000 imperial gallons per day with an additional 6,000,000 gallons available for periods of excessive drought covering two or three months of each year. Some doubt has been expressed as to the effect of withdrawing such a quantity of water from the river. The data collected shows that the lowest monthly discharge during the last ten years was during January, 1913, and averaged 1,124 cubic feet per second. The amount proposed to be diverted is about twenty-three cubic feet per second and the effect of such withdrawal will, it is said, scarcely be noticed. At any other time the natural flow is much greater and during the summer months averages about 35,000 cubic feet per second.—Winnipeg Tribune.

Precedent Created By Lord Reading.

An extraordinary precedent is created by the vacation by Lord Reading of the lord chief justiceship to become viceroy of India. A writer in the Sunday Observer, the leading London Sunday paper, believes the sequel will make his career comparable with that of Disraeli.

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By OGE-MAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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(Continued From Last Issue)

The reply came in due course, and after the usual official verbiage, the path of it was that this prisoner had escaped from the Northwest Mounted Police and they were quite capable of capturing him without any outside assistance. On the Indian's next visit I repeated this to him and he at once dropped the scheme. Alas, three or four more men were killed or wounded before he was finally disposed of.

Time went on and I had occasion to visit Kintishno, going by Mount Nebo, that splendid farm lately owned by Thos. Sanderson, ex-M.L.A. There I met a famous little Mounie named, Ducky, with a neighbor, both on horseback and armed to the teeth.

Ducky was well-known in the force and district for his most impressive way of imparting even minor matters of news, but here was something really big and ranging alongside, he hissed out in tragic tones, "Almighty Voice is surrounded in a bluff near Batoche by a small army of men. Then, letting the effects of that news sink in, he went on to say, "I am awfully glad to meet you, and perhaps you can help me out." "Only too glad if I can, old man. In what way?"

"Well, orders are to corral all Indians on their reserves, and I note three troops down by Waterhen Lake and I am wondering how I can induce them to go back to La Corne, our instructions being to avoid any force in the matter."

"Well, I will take a hand, Ducky, but only on one condition, that I run the business entirely."

He had been quartered with me for some time and knew I had considerable experience with the wily natives so gladly consented.

The troops were only two or three miles away, and on we rode, "Doc" leading, then Tim, while I brought up the rear, the only one of the party unarmed. I well knew every movement of the police had been watched, though as we passed close to the tents there was no sign of life. I whispered for them to ride on quicker and wait for me a half a mile or so away in a sheltered place. This while I slowed my pony down, and then finally turned him and rode back to the troops. I called to a kid who was peering out, "Who is coming here?" "No Moo-choh," said the reply, meaning his Grandfather Coup. This was a nickname for a wily old Indian whose real name was "Coo-why-a-a-ghe."

Pardon a little digression here as Coup's memory deserves a few lines. In the first place, he was a typical likeness of Lord Beaconsfield and in profile the resemblance was startling. Secondly, he was no lover of the white race, but hid this with a coat of slyness. I had sized him up years before and had absolutely no use for him, as I considered his influence (which was considerable) had a bad effect upon the Indians. I tied up my pony and entered the tepee. Here was Coup as large as life, Blue-Skin and Assin-cappo, and the usual cordial shake hands took place. "What 's the news," I asked, which is always the first question in an Indian country. "There is none here," was the

reply. Silence and lots of smoke. "But you," said Coup, "what is your news?"

"Well, I was full of it and gabbed away at generalities for half an hour, giving all small details from Nut Lake, the Bay of the Mountain, Wen-nag-mi, and so on, but I could detect a gleam of suspicion in the old diplomat's eyes."

"Has anything been heard of the unfortunate?" (meaning Almighty Voice) who by the way was his nephew.

"Well," I said, and nifty God for give me for lying, "it is reported that he has struck south for the boundary."

Silence, and then: "Well, they knew better."

Finally after finishing our smoke and again shaking hands all round I started out, but just at the entrance I stopped, slapped my leg and said, "Well, I nearly forgot, but there is news, big news!" And now indeed they crowded close to hear it.

"What is it, Ogemases?" Why I replied, "Gordon is being moved," Gordon was the Farm Instructor at Ft. La Corne, and was very popular with the Indians and very generous with Government grub. "Yes, he is ordered to the Pas, but is giving a feast to the whole band before going," and I started counting on my fingers to get the date. "Why, it is tomorrow. Yes," coming again, "no doubt it is tomorrow, and you fellows won't see him and you will miss the feast."

A short column followed, the women were told, and before I left the tepee packing had started, and by the time I had joined my companions the tents were down and the boys after the ponies. Ducky was thunderstruck and wanted to know the why and wherefore, but I simply told him to keep a discreet distance in the rear and follow them to La Corne. Naturally, when they reached the Reserve they heard the truth, no doubt with feelings too deep for words. "I told my Indians the story on returning home and they enjoyed the joke tremendously and the news went far and wide how Ogemases had outwitted 'Oop-why-a-a-ghe' (alias Coup) Man, not to mention diplomats."

I did not see the old fellow until the following summer, when, walking with Doctor Shadd, I passed Coup sitting on the Carrot River bridge. He looked at me and shook his head several times, as much as to say "This man is beyond redemption." "Requiescat in Pace," Coup, for he joined his fathers some years ago.

Just at the time that Coup, Blueskin and Assin-cappo were trekking to feast at La Corne, Almighty Voice and a young Indian, who used to trade with me, named I-a-h-ao, were being shelled and shot at by a small army of men surrounding the outlaw bluff in the centre of which the outlaw had dug a rifle pit. His old mother sat on a high hill close at hand singing his war song and death chant. They were both dead when the pit was rushed.

A sad finale to this true yarn is that the report was general to the effect that the missing were turned up and poor Lo was innocent after all, but I cannot vouch for this.

Man and Wife Seek Civic Honors.



Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Glen, 29 Webb Avenue, Toronto, who were nominated as candidates for the Board of Education in the recent civic elections.

Army of Sinn Fein

200,000 Men Under Arms, Representing Five Per Cent. of the Population.

Montreal.—A Montreal Star cable from Dublin, says:

"The Sinn Fein organization has 200,000 men under arms in Ireland," it was stated authoritatively. This Republican army represents five per cent. of the Irish population, according to the informant.

The army has military discipline, and is organized to zone groups with commanders in each, all under order from a central headquarters; is partially informed and has a number of secret arsenals and armories.

The Sinn Fein army of 200,000 comprises men ranging in age from 18 to 30. They pursue ordinary farm and city life, except that they are subject to call for ambush duty or secret service and weekly military lectures and drill.

Canadian Labor Most Efficient

Minister of Labor Declares Little Fault Can Be Found With Production.

Hamilton, Ont.—An optimistic note was sounded by Hon. Gideon Robertson, minister of labor, in addressing members of Hamilton Association of Canadian Building and Construction Industries on industrial conditions in Canada.

Senator Robertson urged a spirit of forbearance on the part of employers toward labor. While labor's attitude during the war might have been unreasonable in a few instances, he said that was no reason why employers should retaliate in kind now that conditions appeared to give them the advantage.

"Much more can be done with a little sugar and a square deal than can be done with vinegar and dictation," he said, adding that the efficiency of Canadian workmen during the last five years had not decreased to the extent it was popularly believed it had. Of 4,106 questionnaires sent to Canadian employers it was found that only 37 per cent. reported decreased efficiency, while the remainder noted no change.

Russians Cause Trouble in London

Recent Attempts to Start Riots Attributed to Russian Revolutionists.

London.—Recent attempts by unemployed to seize town halls and start riots cannot be attributed to genuine unemployed but were instigated by Russian revolutionists, according to the Evening News, which claims to have found the headquarters of the Red organization that is engineering trouble in England.

A News article states that the Russians have a committee headed by a young Russian woman with an office off a City Road in the business district. Some of the committee's funds have been raised in England, but the bulk comes from Russia. The head of the committee has established sub-committees under guise of unemployed committees in nine of the London boroughs, their object being to take advantage of labor conditions to secure enough recruits to begin a campaign of terrorism.

Greek Offensive Fails.

London.—Assertion that the Greek offensive in the direction of Brusa, Asia Minor, has failed, is contained in a Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, under recent date.

The situation at Smyrna is serious it is declared, and it is believed that the new Greek Commander-in-Chief will be recalled.

Plans for Wheat Marketing

Co-operative Board to Market Products is Planned for Prairie Provinces.

Winnipeg.—Plans for the establishment of a co-operative Wheat and Farm Products Board for the three prairie provinces is under consideration by the Manitoba Government.

The board would be composed of representatives from Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, and deal mainly with grain.

A member of the cabinet intends to bring about government action and revive the co-operative marketing program instituted by the Federal Government in 1918, but it is felt the Provincial Government can do nothing alone.

Whether or not the government would guarantee bonds of the board or whether shares would be sold to farmers wishing to participate would remain to be dealt with. It is estimated that between \$300,000 and \$400,000 would be required.

Object To Mennonites

New York Sun Is Doubtful If They Will Become a Valuable Acquisition to U.S.

New York.—The New York Sun, commenting on the reported exodus of 30,000 Mennonites from Manitoba to the State of Mississippi, remarks: "A solid group of 30,000 persons, whose adherence to their peculiar religious tenets makes them claim immunity from the plain duty of a citizen as recognized by those of sincere good faith and intelligence, may not strike citizens of the United States as a valuable acquisition for any particular State. Especially in Mississippi, citizens may demand that the would-be immigrants make a cogent demonstration of their actual worth as citizens or residents."

Leave It To The Ladies

Women Brought Mayor to Unemployed Rally in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg.—A meeting of unemployed women and girls was held here to discuss plans for relief of the present situation. The Mayor, Edward Parnell, was expected to be at the meeting by the women, but he did not appear so a delegation went to the City Hall and brought him in. He gave them every assurance that all possible was being done to alleviate the situation. The women suggest that one of the local hotels be taken over by the city where unemployed women and girls could be fed and cared for.

To Deport Orientals.

New York.—A general round up of all Oriental ineligible in the United States, will be launched January 20. This announcement will be made at Ellis Island by Leo Russell, chief deporting agent of the immigration service. Sweeping orders for such a round up will be issued at Washington and a special force is to be assigned to the work, Mr. Russell said.

Income Tax Prosecutions.

Vancouver.—For failing to make income tax returns under the federal law, six residents of Vancouver were in police court and ordered to pay a fine of \$100 each with the alternative of one month in jail.

Mentioned As Milner's Successor.

London.—Several names, including that of Lord Derby, are being mentioned in connection with the colonial secretaryship, it being generally agreed that Lord Milner's successor must be a statesman of first rank.

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Real Service To The Country Is Aim Of The United Farmers

Brandon, Man.—Leadership in Federal politics of Hon. Thomas A. Crerar was formally accepted by Manitoba Farmers following his address to the annual convention of the United Farmers here.

A resolution was passed endorsing his choice by the Canadian Council of Agriculture to lead the new National policy.

Mr. Crerar, in his address, attacked the government railway policy and termed the acquisition of the national railways as a striking example of the result of public apathy in politics.

He began his address by referring to the aims of the Great War Veterans' Association, which, he said, had been largely misunderstood throughout Canada.

"No citizens," he said, "are more genuinely working for the welfare of the Dominion than the officials of this association."

He made a plea for the delegates' support and sympathy to their cause.

He spoke on the opportunities and duties before the farmer organizations and said that throughout Canada, the impression prevailed that they are a dangerous group out for their own advancements.

This impression, the speaker said, has originated since their entrance into politics.

The election of a Farmers-Labor government in Ontario and the subsequent election of Farmer members to the Federal House, were events he said, which have brought the movement under criticism from those who were used to control affairs.

With over a quarter of a million persons linked up in farmers' movements, real service to the country should result.

"Anyone who has studied the political situation must see that such service has been needed and is badly needed at the present time," he declared.

The whole struggle for government during the past century has been the struggle to get away from centralized authority. The Government of Canada should be the mouthpiece of the elected representatives of the people. If there is anything in past governments to be ashamed of, it is mainly due to the neglect by the people and their inattention to matters of importance.

There was never a time when the average situation should take an interest in public affairs, more than at the present time, he continued, because of the after effects of the war debt, necessary re-construction, necessity of paying to returned men and dependents adequate pensions and deciding the best means of raising taxes.

"The railway situation in Canada is the most striking example of what follows apathy in public affairs." The stimulation of public thought from the organization of such organizations as the farmers, will do away with this, he said, and the resulting benefits cannot be over-estimated.

The speaker made a plea for greater interest on the part of citizens in federal and provincial matters. The lack of interest is most apparent in Federal Government affairs, Mr. Crerar held, and went on to say that special privilege has had a pretty free rein in Canada. He explained "special privileges" as the giving of favors through government "pull" to individuals and corporations.

"That is one of my objections to protective tariff," he continued, "for it is a form of special privileges which permits the manufacturers to take money out of the pockets of the people."

Receives Honorary Degree
Premier Dwyer of Ontario is Honored by Queen's University.

Kingston, Ont.—At a special convocation held at Queen's University the honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred upon E. C. Dwyer by the chancellor of Queen's University, E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the C.P.R., who came from Montreal by special train in order to attend the function, presenting the premier the honorary degree. Principal Taylor praised him as an administrator and said his government had won the praise of many people who were not so much interested in party politics as they were in good government.

Airship for North
Mammoth Dirigible Being Built in New York to Blaze Trail to Fort Norman.

Calgary.—With plans to put into operation from Edmonton to Fort Norman, a huge dirigible airship capable of carrying 32 passengers and five tons of freight, Major Jenner, of Vancouver, and Major Wollan, of Los Angeles, are on their way to Edmonton to select sites for their airports. The officers have the dirigible now under order from New York, and hope to have the ship in operation by March, in time for the first of the rush to the Fort Norman oilfields.

Want Stricter Plan Adopted for Selection of Immigrants

United Farmers View With Apprehension Further Efforts to Colonize the West Under Present Conditions.

Brandon, Man.—Stating that they viewed with apprehension further efforts to colonize the western provinces by the "Western Canada Colonization Association," without offering any suggestion to improve present conditions, surrounding agriculture, delegates to the convention of the United Farmers of Manitoba, and the convention of the Manitoba Cattle Breeders, ask that the association devote its efforts to solving problems confronting farmers already on the land, and urged the Dominion Government to adopt a stricter plan for the selection of immigrants.

F. J. Colyer, Welwyn, proposed the resolution and it was seconded by D. G. Mackenzie, vice-president of the

United Farmers. A second resolution urges upon the federal authorities the necessity of impressing upon the British Government the fulfillment of the undertaking to remove the embargo on Canadian cattle.

G. Tovel, general secretary of the Manitoba Co-operative Dairies, Ltd., Lorette, Man., advocated the need for better co-operative methods in the marketing of farm produce to ensure the farmer getting an adequate return for his labor. He outlined the improvement in conditions resulting from the formation of the co-operative dairy company and asked that farmers co-operate to make butter-making an industry instead of an occupation as it is at present.

Trade Agreement With France

Canada Has Concluded a New Trade Agreement With France.

Ottawa.—Canada has concluded a new trade agreement with France. The agreement provides for the minimum tariff of Canada to be given in exchange for the minimum French tariff or nearly the whole list of articles included in the convention of 1907-09 with a considerably extended list of articles not included in that convention and for a fixed percentage tariff on certain other articles, some of which were included in the preceding convention at minimum rates and others not included in that convention.

Withdraws From Council.

Paris.—Hugh V. Wallace, United States ambassador to France, formally withdrew from the Council of Ambassadors. Mr. Wallace pointed out that in view of the fact that the United States had failed to ratify the Treaty of Versailles, there was no further occasion for United States participation in the deliberations of the council.

Free Medical Service

Returned Men Take Advantage of Free Medical Treatment.

Toronto.—In connection with a recent order-in-council by which all members of the Canadian Overseas Forces who are unemployed and in need of attention are to be given medical and surgical treatment free of charge until March 31 next, Col. J. M. Neilson, medical director D unit of the department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, in an interview here, said that his department was treating about 9,000 soldiers now, and this number will be increased to about 12,000 as a result of the order-in-council.

Sinn Fein Goes to Jail.

Dublin.—James J. Walsh, Sinn Fein member of parliament for Cork, who escaped from Mount Joy prison a year and a half ago and was re-arrested Jan. 5, has been officially informed that he has been sentenced to five years penal servitude.

Reduce U.S. Forces.

Washington.—Reduction of the American forces of occupation in Germany from 15,000 to 8,000 has been ordered by the War Department.

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(By Buck.)

Don't miss the Hard Time Dance on January 28th—see advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

As "Bob Service" says: "There are strange things done under the midnight sun." Yes, we'll admit that, but not only under the mid-night sun are such "strange things" done. Right here in Irma many "strange" things are done—and maybe, too slightly noticed. Perhaps it is just as well that some things are overlooked by the public. There is one "strange thing" which has been brought to our notice—most prominently—and sorry to say it is one of the few, that cannot be overlooked—and that is:—Why?? does a certain gentleman of the village attend certain weekly meetings and during the course of several of these meetings, try to attract the young people by making statements, such as "dancing is vile" and "dancing should not be allowed" or words to that effect. Has this gentleman been reading the evil spreading little booklet called "From Dance Hall to Hell?" If so, and if he believes such statements to be true, WHY?? does he travel many miles from Irma to attend a Dance and during this said dance, not miss one engagement. Taking exception of no one but "jazzing forth" with young and old, great and small, thin and stout—of course we do not bar the evening dress from the Irma dances. "Nuff said."—but as a parting remark I would add, "there are many quicker ways to h—l than through the medium of the dance hall."

It was a grand dance? Where? At Wainwright most assuredly. It was commonly remarked that we have just as good a time in our own little burg—and, too, we do not have to go "fussed up" in a "soup and fish" or football dresses, "half-back". But we had a good time? eh, Clarence, and all praise to the little old "Chevrolet". What we would like to ask is what the d— became of George?

Poor old Teddy!! These wild nights in the baggage cars and, likewise, in Irma, do not agree with his constitution and hence his health gave a reverse hitch, breaking his crown gear, short circuiting his ignition and fouling his carburetor. Too, his fenders were badly bent and his engine developed a rather loud knock. He ate up a lot of gas? And Doc. said his bearings were burned out completely, due to fast running and that our Teddy had better take a little trip and rest up for a while and so he took the hint and bade Irma farewell for a while. We are hoping that our fellow bachelor will soon regain his health and return to us in perfect running order. Teddy is now in Edmonton and is contemplating taking a herd of tame bull-frogs to California in the near future—if they don't all croak.

They say that Cupid strikes the match
That sets the world aglow,
But where does Cupid strike the match?
That's what I'd like to know.

It's a gay life if you don't weaken and it's a fast life, unless you travel on the GTP. They run a train on the gtp we could call it the "accommodation train". It accommodates everybody, except those that are in a hurry. The train is so slow, the engineer don't carry a watch, he uses a calendar. A snail would make that train look like a limited. You can take time exposures, going down-grade—if Bill Ayers is not at the throttle.

A young man in Irma went to see the doc. The doc. said, "Let me give you something for that cough." The guy said, "you can have it for nothing." "But doc what shall I take." The doc said "a handkerchief." "How is my breathing Doc." "It's a little boysih, it comes in short pants."

Mary had a little waist,
Where waists were supposed to show,
But everywhere the fashion went,
The waist was sure to go.

SENCE (By Patricia)

Ring! Ting! I wish I were a Bachelor Boy, a bright and Jolly Bachelor Boy!!!! Oh, girls, doesn't it sound delicious, just imagine ourselves belonging to "The Royal Order of Irma Bachelor Boys", and enjoying a delicious repast of turkey, spuds, n' everything, and everything having the beautiful mysterious air of "Bachelor". Absolutely! But can you imagine such a wonderful thing, or does it take your imagination soaring too high? Well, any way girls, it is too late to wish anything like that, so we'll just be independent and become just SIX SWEET BACHELOR LASSIES. That sounds more familiar doesn't it, eh?

Why, my dear Buck, so thou hast been lonely without thy Patootiest Patricia. Well here she is again. My it seems nice to come home to the page again after being absent for a short time. The whole page seems so nice and homey, doesn't it, Buck, Buck? (You said something Pat, this is some page—the linoman.)

Say, the first thing I heard when I entered the page was about some big dance at our neighboring town, Wainwright, and of all the people who were going. There were big people and little people, business men and non-business men, and even some of our leading citizens. And would you believe it, someone who did not, does not, and even would not dance, went down (just to pay a friendly visit, you know what I mean). But the music was so fast and the current caused by the floating evening gowns was so strong that our poor friend was drawn (yes girls, wipe away that tear just now and let me proceed) just absolutely drawn right into their midst and before the poor patron knew it he was floating over the glassy floor with his arm around a lady's waist, (oh my goodness) and he even whispered something about having a bear of a time. Henceforth, girls, take advice from no one, no not even a Bachelor, for if you don't you know you will be a black sheep anyway, and remember,

Oh would the pair a gift a gea,
Tae see ourselves as ithers see,
It would frae many a blunder free us,
And foolish notion.

Shh! Listen girls, lean over close so that "Bachelor Boy" won't hear. Would you believe it in our midst is a woman hater, yes man, an absolute woman hater, whether it is meant to be a camouflage or not it is impossible to say. But I was thinking maybe there is some nice little fuzzy, wuzzy lady waiting for him at some other port. You know, girls, all towns cannot boast of having Bachelor Girls, in fact very few towns can boast of having any at all! Maybe Irma Bachelor Girls are not good enough for some of our spry Bachelor friends. But, cheer up, girls, and don't look so blue. Just remember to "Pack up your troubles in your laundry bag and just laugh at them" they'll soon come around and be their own little selves again.

There is one girl among a very big crowd whom they say will always remain a Bachelor Girl. Shall I say it, wonder is she's listening. Well, I don't care, I'll say it anyway, and that's the telephone girl, or better known as a "hello girl" (only when the term is reversed) I don't wonder at the poor thing looking so sad. I wonder if our telephone girl thinks about it because I have seen her looking pretty down hearted at times even if she does talk about her "spinsters days." Never mind, Hello Girls of all nations. There isn't a cloud but has a silver lining.

Buck says the way to a man's heart is through his stomach. Well, Buck, you are one of those, sex so you'd ought to know, but I'd hate to have to reach some men's hearts through their stomachs because it would take some time, I'll say. Girls, we'll have to sit up and take notice, so beware of all big eaters, eh what?!!!!!!

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Canadians have grown more and more appreciative of the immense and variety of the different parts of our Dominion. The Province of Ontario, rich in scenic beauties, historical settings and opportunities, has parts that are distinctive—some of which is Tweed township of E. Huron, county of Hastings. It has attractions of lake, river, hills, general location, sound business activity from a farming and dairy country and an adjacent district that is rich in promise. The situation is a happy one—just west in the rocky region of Frontenac and Addington counties, and it retains enough of the rugged along with many other scenic attractions, to make it a desired summer resort. Small islands dot the lake, giving the euphonious name of "Stoco" by the early native settlers, the Mohawks and Massagons Indians and around it is woven a mist of Indian lore and woodland vision. The winding and tree-clad shore which varies from low, gently sloping sandy beach to swiftly sloping rocky line, presents every beauty that attracts traveller and tourist. Richard Woodcock settled in Tweed in 1823, and from James Jamieson, who at one time owned the village, Tweed received its name. Located near the Tweed river in Scotland, the pioneer gave the name to his Canadian home. A neighboring river sings its picturesque way through the town and its many rapids and waterfalls present abundant water-power.

East and North of Tweed are good mining lands which have been developed to some extent—the "Gold Mine" and "Ore Chimney" mines having produced quantities of gold. In the farming district, dairying gives an extensive manufacture of cheese with as many as 25 cheese factories within a radius of ten miles of the town.

The outstanding district of the township is North Hastings where are the only known deposits of mica on the continent, of a world-wide size, and mispickite ore as the "natural" source of pure, white



arsenic is of great value to the Dominion. These deposits have been thoroughly prospected during the last year and have been pronounced the largest in the world. The country is very suitable for mining development as it is well supplied with water-power and transportation facilities. The only arsenic that is produced in Canada at the present time is that obtained as a by-product from the Cobalt mines and is being manufactured on a small scale without going outside of Canada to do so. Arsenic which was as high as 14 cents per pound has an abnormal price which cannot be maintained if the new sources of supply are developed and the serious shortage in the world's supply is drawing a good deal of attention to this field in Eastern Ontario. The supply of arsenic in the United States

has been practically exhausted and American manufacturers are anxious to tap the mineral resources of Canada in order to carry on their business.

As to the uses of arsenic, there has been remarkable development in the last few years. It is a poison, and its use as "Paris green" is well known, but it has been found a life-giver as well as a life-destroyer and agricultural experts have realized its potent and far-reaching possibilities as a fertilizer. A journalist, writing of the possibilities of development of this ore in Eastern Ontario states: "If North Hastings, the land of rocks and shallow farms, can supply a commodity of such value to agriculture, it will be another illustration of the wonderful provision of nature, and the strange but happy irony of events; for the barren places shall give new life to the more fruitful regions of the earth."—C. G.

New Manager For C.P.R. Hotels

Mr. Frank L. Hutchinson, after many years service has resigned his position as manager in chief of Canadian Pacific hotels to engage in other business, and Mr. Andrew Allerton is appointed general superintendent of Canadian Pacific hotels with offices at Montreal.

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Mr. Allerton, who is well known to Montrealers through his success as manager of the Algonquin Hotel, St. Andrews by the Sea, and the Place Viger, Montreal, entered the service of the C. P. R. in 1890 in the dining car department. In August, 1893, he was appointed manager of Windsor Street Station Dining Hall; in June, 1894, he became dining car conductor. In January, 1897, he was attached to the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, and in February, 1905, he became clerk in the Place Viger Hotel, Montreal, of which he became manager in April, 1906. In

June, 1906, he was appointed manager of the Algonquin Hotel, New Brunswick, and since November, 1919, has been managing both the Place Viger Hotel, Montreal, and the Algonquin.

Mr. Hutchinson, who is understood to have purchased a large farm in Vancouver Island, where he intends to reside, was born in London, Ontario, on August 10th, 1869. He entered the service of the Bank of Montreal in 1885 and remained there until 1901 when he became a member of the Montreal Stock Exchange. In March, 1902, he joined the C. P. R. service as assistant to the manager, Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, becoming manager in March, 1905. In June, 1911, he became assistant to the manager in chief of hotels, Montreal, and in April, 1915, manager of the Hotel Vancouver. In July, 1913, he resigned from the C. P. R. to manage the Windsor Hotel in Montreal but in April, 1915, he rejoined the service to become manager in chief of hotels.

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Nova Scotia and Her Arms

A movement is on foot in Nova Scotia for the restoration of the original armor of that province in place of those adopted at Confederation. Most Canadians are unaware that in 1621 King James I. of England and VI. of Scotland, as King of Scotland, and as a Scottish baron, granted to Sir William Alexander (afterwards Earl of Stirling) the territory now forming the whole of the Provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island, and parts of Quebec and of the present State of Maine, on the sole condition of paying annually "one penny of Scottish money, if so much be demanded," the purpose of the grant being that Sir William might carry out a project he had in mind of making of this vast territory a New Scotland in America, as there was already a New England and a New France.

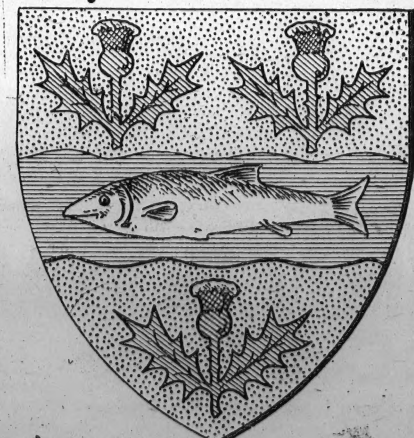
The story of Sir William Alexander and his efforts to carry out his great project in beside the present purpose. It all came to little enough at the time but bore fruit as we know long afterwards. Royal encouragement to the scheme given by King James was continued and amplified by his son and successor, Charles I., and among other marks of favor the last named sovereign made a grant of arms to Nova Scotia in these terms: Silver, a cross of St. Andrew blue with an inscription of the Royal Arms of Scotland. Crest, on a wreath a bunch of laurel and a thistle issuing from two hands, the one hand being in armor and the other naked. Supporters, on the dexter side the Royal unicorn silver, horned, maned, and hooved gold, imperially crowned, gorged

ARMS GRANTED TO THE COLONY OF NOVA SCOTIA
BY KING CHARLES I

It was thought that the Province had little ground for using armorial bearings which (as was supposed) belonged in reality to an order of Barons. The request was not looked for in the right place, namely, in the Lyon Office in Edinburgh, where it might have been found, and so the College of Heralds in London, supposing no doubt that the field was clear, proceeded to prepare arms and a new seal for Nova Scotia as a Province of the Dominion of Canada, not moved thereto by the Provincial authorities of the day, but in opposition to their wishes. The new Great Seal was received in December, 1829, but was neither welcomed nor adopted nor proclaimed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, but pigeon-holed, and left unused for years afterwards. If the Provincial authorities had been aware of the strength of the case for the old arms it is natural to suppose that they would have held out against any change, but in course of time they gave way, and allowed the matter to go by default in favor of the new order.

But even then the ancient arms did not go wholly out of memory. The shield is still to be seen, not only on the old office doors in the Province building, but on old pieces of jewelry of much later date, and the full achievement appears on the Bank of Nova Scotia's \$10 notes, of the issue of January 2nd, 1919. In this last case the Indian sister supporter is shown in a sitting posture and the unicorn charging around the dexter side of the shield—the shield itself is of a shape characteristic of the period of doubtful heraldry and is wrongly marked red! All these details are wrong, but the interesting fact remains that in casting about for a suitable emblem to replace the arms of Nova Scotia the modern arms of the Province. The Historical Societies of Nova Scotia now ask for recognition of the ancient and lawful arms of Nova Scotia were supplanted by a new and commonplace design of sailing ships and thistles.

L. M. P.



The Present Arms of Nova Scotia, with an open crown and chain affixed thereto and reflexed over the back gold. On the sinister side a savage man proper. Above (over the crest) "Munif hanc ad altera vice." The shield of Scotland, blue, with a white cross of St. Andrew, was thus, it will be noticed, counter-charged to white with a blue cross of New Scotland.

Later, as a separate act, the Barons of Nova Scotia were given the privilege of using this same shield, with its inscription as their badge or coat of arms. An idea got abroad somehow that the shield was theirs primarily, and only "borrowed" by the province for its seal, etc., when in later times "Nova Scotia" became a reality. The shield, however, be-

Love of The Wild

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"Maybe you'd like to move to Bridgetown, na," laughed Mary Ann. "I know what you mean," returned Mrs. Ross, "but I ain't hankerin' for Mr. Smythe's love exactly. You believe he is a good man, don't you?" she asked, frowning her black eyes on her daughter's face.

"It don't matter what I believe," said Mary Ann.

"Well, Mr. Smythe has been a Christian for a long time. He ought to know swear-words from ordinary ones. He says, 'Mrs. Ross, I would like to see the hypocrites in this world taken out of it. It would be a fine world then,' says he."

"He wouldn't be here to see how fine, though," smiled the girl.

"Then you don't believe what he says?"

"I don't believe what he says, and I don't believe what that Watson man, who comes here with him, says. They're both liars, and Mr. Simpson is as bad as they are."

Widow Ross dropped a dish on the floor.

"Why, what are you talkin' about?" she cried. "You must be crazy, Mary Ann. What if the teacher should hear you?"

"Well, it wouldn't hurt him to hear it again. I've told it to him once already."

Widow Ross stood speechless.

"Well, I never!" she said with amazement, when she could find words.

Mary Ann drew her tall figure up and her big eyes flashed.

"The other day when Mr. Simpson and Mr. Watson came home here half-killed from what they said was a fall from a tree you believed them, and I didn't open my mouth," said the girl.

"And why shouldn't I believe them?" snorted the widow. "Why shouldn't I? Didn't poor Mr. Watson have an arm in a sling and wasn't he that bruised in the forehead without groaning? And Mr. Simpson, poor man, didn't he have the awfulest pair of eyes you ever did see in a head? Didn't that golly man, Mr. Smythe, who was here with me all afternoon, believe 'em?"

"Lalim' trees don't use people up just that way," said Mary Ann slowly. "No, ma, I'll tell you just what kind of a tree fell from the sky. It was Bill Paisley. They thought they would try some sharp work on the bushwhackers, and Bill—the girl's face flushed and her bosom heaved—"Bill was there and, of course, could whip a dozen excels like those two. And he did do it, too."

The widow sat down on a stool, her swarthy face a picture.

"And do you mean to say that them two men went over there to make trouble?" she asked blankly.

Mary Ann nodded.

"What for?"

"I don't know—yet."

"Do you mean you're goin' to know?"

"Yes, and for that reason Mr. Simpson mustn't know that we've heard anything."

Mrs. Ross went outside to call Tommy to supper. When she returned she shook her head once or twice and muttered to herself. The teacher's gone to Bridgetown to-night," she said after a time.

Mary Ann sat down to the table.

"Mary Ann," asked the woman gently, "ain't you carin' for him none?"

"No, ma."

The widow poured out the tea and dished up the potatoes. She slopped the tea and spilled the potatoes and then she sat down and, stretching over her arm, patted her daughter's brown hair.

"You're the right kind of girl for a widder to own," she said, her eyes humid with feeling, "just the right sort." She sat erect and shined the table so hard that the dishes clattered. "But that Bill Paisley is a ruffin—a no-account ruffin, Mary Ann."

The daughter did not reply. She began her supper with a zest born of open air and sunshine. Tommy was growing away him and hashed potatoes, and spoke with his mouth full.

"Mill ain't goin' to run to-morrow," he said. "I was over to Hallibut's shanty just after quinin' time and Jim Dos says there's somethin' wrong with the boiler."

"I wish the old-biler would bust," exclaimed widow Ross. "Course I'd want all the men to be in the shanty at the time. But I'm tired of that noise. I hate that saw and I hate that whistle. This place ain't seemin' the

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same place since the Colonel built that mill.

"I think the whistle is just bally," said Tommy. "It's as good as no bell at all day. I'd do it."

"A whistle is all you need to make you perfect," said Mary Ann. "What's the matter with the boiler, Tommy?"

"Why, there ain't nothin' wrong with the boiler," said Tommy. "The mill-boss wants to go out on a hunt. Seems that Roy McAvish, Jim Peeler, and Andler Dechute are goin' over to the Point to hunt a silver-gray fox. They say he's as big as a cow, but I ain't believe that. Anyhow, Peeler is goin' and take his hound Brindle. It's as good as a sure thing that he'll get it."

Colonel Hallibut's hounds, Jim says, and he's a tartar after foxes. And then Mr. Smythe by lookin' at that machinery is broke," gasped the widow. "What would Mr. Smythe think of such doin' as that now, I wonder?"

Here Tommy took a convulsion and it was some time before he got his breath back. His mother gazed at him sternly until the paroxysm had passed.

"Now, maybe you'll explain this un-Christian conduct," said the widow. "I suppose even Christians laugh sometimes," giggled Tommy, as he wiped his eyes. "It's as good as the last time Mr. Smythe was here."

Now, remember that Dave came over that same afternoon, and how he scared Mr. Smythe by lookin' at him. Well, I'll tell you somethin' you don't know."

Dave had a pair of little green grass-snakes in his pocket that he'd found in the lowlands and was takin' home to his collection. When you and Mr. Smythe were talkin' 'revelation me and Dave went outside for him to show me his new tumble-thin' learned. You know, Mary Ann."

Turning to the girl, "How Dave can turn houndsprings? Well, Dave wanted me to hold the snakes, and I asked him, 'only you'll unhook like he does, so I put 'em in Mr. Smythe's overcoat pocket. His coat was hangin' up outside the door. We both tore all about 'em then, and when Mr. Smythe came out to get his old gray mare he put his hand in his pocket after his hints, and—"

Tommy laid back and roared again, and Mary Ann joined him. The widow sat stern and accusing. "Go on," she cried.

"Smythe was tryin' to convert me, I guess," said Tommy. "Young man," says he, 'beware of sin. It's a bad habit. It lies in wait in quiet places. It's a snake in the grass,' says he; and just then he pulled out one of the green snakes and howled. Oh, how it did howl and prance about! 'Take him off, take him off,' he hollered. He dropped the snake over Dave's picket in up and put it in his blouse. Mr. Smythe he stood there shiverin' and by and by put his hand deep in his pocket again. The other snake twisted around his wrist and he fell down and rolled over and over. Dave got the snake and I helped the storekeeper up."

"Did you see 'em?" he yelled; 'did you see them snakes?'"

"Why, no, sir," I says, 'what snakes?'"

"Great big snakes," he hollers. And then he swears my heart, that that good Christian man swore somethin' awful!"

"My gracious," sighed the good woman, surprised, "wringing, wailing, stermness, from her face. 'Are you sure he swore, Tommy?'"

"No," said one of the Broadacre boys could swear worse or longer," asserted of Tommy.

"And what did he do then?" laughed Mary Ann, tears running down her cheeks.

"Why, then Mr. Smythe turned to Dave and asked him if he'd seen any snakes, and you know what Dave'd do. He just looked at the storekeeper out of them big eyes of his and didn't say a word. I was drivin' to laugh, but didn't. Just then along comes Jim Dos' from Hallibut's shanty."

"Mr. Smythe was settin' down on a stump lookin' mighty used up."

"Sick!" asked Jim. "Come over to the shanty and I'll give you some whiskey."

"At the word 'whiskey' Mr. Smythe jumped up and pranced about like a wild man."

"He drunk too much whiskey," he yells, 'I've drunk too much of the stuff that stings like an adder.'"

"You act as though you had 'em," said Jim.

"I have got 'em," yelled the storekeeper. "I've seen snakes, all kinds, breeds and colors of snakes. I'm a sick man. I want to get home where I can pray and pour all my whiskey through a knot-hole in the wall. I'll never drink it again, so help me, I won't."

"Dox he looked at me and winked and I didn't say nothin'." After the storekeeper left I told 'em all about the little grass-snakes, and I ast him what Mr. Smythe meant when he said he had 'em, and then Jim tried to get a joke on me about me who drink

whiskey seein' things as are not pleasant to look at. He didn't do it, though."

"You mighty surprised, surprised and disturbed," said the widow. "I thought Mr. Smythe was everythin' a man should be. Ain't it funny how one can be fooled by a man?"

Mary Ann looked up.

"Sowchow Mr. Smythe didn't fool me," she said. "I knew he drank whiskey, because he snuffed of it. I knew he swore by the way his tongue and eyes fought with each other. I knew he lied because he said he loved all men. There's nobody alive and natural built that way?"

"This girl sat looking steadily across at her mother. Finally she leaned forward and asked:

"What did Smythe ask you to do, ma?"

"Did I say he asked me to do anythin'?" flared the widow with a start.

"No, but I know he did. What was it?"

The mother's eyes blazed indignantly.

(To be continued)

Mammoth Radio Station

French Station When Completed Will Work Easily With All Stations In The World.

A recent despatch from St. Assise, France, says: Louis Deschamps, under secretary of state for posts and telegraphs, laid the cornerstone of what is destined to be the most powerful radio station in the world, capable of transmitting with two sending instruments 24,000 words, hourly or receiving 60,000 words, hourly on five instruments. The alternating system will be used.

The Lafayette station, which now is the most powerful, has a maximum range of 15,000 miles, but experience has shown, "according to the Ministry of Telegraphs, that it cannot be depended upon for more than 4,500 miles regularly, being unable, for instance, to work satisfactorily with Argentina."

The Sainte Anne station, when complete in 1923, will be calculated to work easily and regularly with all stations in the world. The station will be erected for the Compagnie Generale Telegraphique Sans-fil (General Wireless Telegraph Company). Thirty per cent of the capital invested in the company is British, 70 per cent French, the French Cable Company holding 20 per cent of the total capital.

The company has a working agreement with the American Radio Corporation.

The striking physical features of the plant will be 16 steel towers, 820 feet high. A number of special telegraph wires will connect the station with the Central Telegraph Office.

Remarkable Relics

Ancient Tennis Balls Are Found in Westminster Hall.

Workmen re-roofing Westminster Hall recently found two round objects in the dust and cobwebs in the old oak rafters 90 feet above the ground.

When the dust and grime had been removed these objects proved to be ancient tennis balls.

An antiquarian says that, judging from their size and structure, the balls date back to the reign of Henry VIII. (1509 to 1547), who was an ardent supporter of tennis, or tennis, as it was then called.

Both balls are covered with leather, which has burst in several places, and faint traces of white paint are seen on the surface. Remarkably preserved, the bodies of the balls are composed of human hair. It is well known that the earlier tennis balls were stuffed with human hair.

The large ball is 2½ inches in diameter, and the smaller 1½ inches.

Henry VIII. is generally credited with the building of the tennis court at Hampton Court, but it has been hitherto unknown that there was a tennis court in Westminster Hall.

Tennis has developed through the centuries from the ball games of the Greeks and Romans.

Got Big Moose.

Louis W. Hill, of Minneapolis, chairman of the Great Northern Railway Board of Directors, and well known in Winnipeg, returned to his home recently after a big game hunt in the Alberta mountains.

He was accompanied by five friends. Each member of the party secured a bill moose and there were some fine heads. Mr. Hill's moose had a spread of 59 inches across the horns, each of which had 14 points.

The party went to Jasper Park by the Canadian National Railway and struck north from that scenic wonderland into the Rockies dominated by Mt. Robson—Winnipeg Free Press.

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To Protect Public

Sheep Breeders' Want Cloth Stamped With Percentage of Wool.

A resolution asking the Provincial Department of Agriculture to take steps to secure legislation to protect the public when buying alleged woolen goods, was passed by the Manitoba Sheep Breeders' Association, in annual meeting at Brandon.

The protection suggested was that a statement be stamped on the cloth showing the relative amounts of virgin wool, shoddy, cotton or other textile included in the make-up.

Krupp Company to Issue New Shares

The London Times prints a report from Essen that the Krupp Company, Germany's great steel concern, shortly will issue new shares to the amount of 250,000,000 marks.

Airs in dramatic poetry were first employed by the ancient Romans.

In Uruguay the law forbids the sale of intoxicants to women.

A New Style Tractor

British One-Way Motor Plow Proves To Be a Success.

Among the most interesting of recent developments in British agricultural engineering is the one-way motor plow, which has appeared upon the British market in the form—judging from field experiments—of a successful model. Upon a commercial basis, this and the other one-way plows will make their appearance.

The one-way plow, in the present case consists of six plow beams, three being suspended from each end of the main carriage, which is mounted on the lines of a tractor body and is driven by an engine sufficiently powerful to haul three furrows in the heaviest clay land. The forward shares are held out of work as the motor plow proceeds across the field and automatically drop into work when the machine begins its return journey. Plowing therefore becomes a succession of forward and return movements.

One type of one-way plow has the advantage that it can be used as a tractor to haul another implement or a laden wagon, for the plows can be removed.

The Babe Ruth of Hockey.

Frank Frederickson, former captain of the famous Falcons of Winnipeg, world's amateur champions, is hailed by Victoria critics as the "Babe Ruth of hockey." The newcomer, according to all accounts, has made good with a bang in professional hockey. Since his arrival on the coast he has played in several matches and has been one of the most effective performers.

Something In Common.

To New Maid—"This is my son's room. He's in Yale."

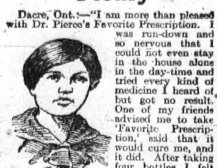
"Ya? My brudder ban there, too?"

"What year?"

"No year, do judge just say: 'You Axel, sixty days in Yale.'"

The Hindus count months by the progress of the sun through zodiac.

Women of Canada Testify



Dacre, Ont.—"I am more than pleased with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pessary. I was run-down, and so nervous that I could not even stay in the house alone in the day-time and tried every kind of medicine I heard of but got no result. One of my friends advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pessary. I said that it would cure me, and it did. After taking four bottles I felt like a new woman."

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Warning By British Re Immigration.

Another warning has been issued by the British Foreign Office regarding emigration to South and Central America without ample means or a definite guarantee of employment. The warning has been prompted by the failure of another South American immigration scheme, necessitating the repatriation of more than 200 British subjects from Peru, where they had immigrated in the last six months as a result of offers by the Peruvian Government of free passage and employment upon arrival.

Middle Aged Women

Women should take warning from such symptoms as heat flashes, shortness of breath, excessive nervousness, irritability, and the blues—which indicate the approach of the inevitable "Change" that comes to all women nearing middle age. We have published volumes of proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the greatest aid women can have during this trying period.

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World Happenings Briefly Told

London has an average of nearly 40,000 brides a year.

The average cost of living in the United States is 99.2 per cent. higher than in 1914.

The Manitoba provincial savings bank reports deposits of over a million dollars.

Two hundred cases of whiskey found in a box car at Windsor are confiscated by Inspector Lannin.

New railroad mileage built in the U.S. in 1920 was only 314 miles, the smallest on record.

A Manitoba Angus Association was formed on Monday night at a meeting of the black cattle breeders.

The Montreal Women's Club endorsed Mrs. Arthur Murphy, of Edmonton, for appointment to the Senate.

Manitoba sheep breeders are urging the government to pass legislation to protect the public against the sale of poor grade wools.

The new liquor laws of Manitoba have eliminated politics from the regulation of the traffic, according to D. B. Harkness, Brandon.

The Alberta Federation of Labor declare the Provincial Government to be apathetic on social legislation advocated by the federation.

Another warning has been issued by the British Foreign Office regarding emigration to South and Central America, without ample means for a definite guarantee of employment.

The State of New York will get a transfer tax of \$1,084,761 from the \$27,205,283 estate left by his widow by F. W. Woolworth, the millionaire five and ten cent store merchant, who died in April, 1919.

The second criminal chamber of the Imperial Court, Leipzig, has sentenced the first three war criminals convicted respectively to five and four years' penal servitude and two years' imprisonment.

Between 700 and 800 cars of grain are arriving in Fort William, Ontario, daily, from the west. A total of 1,000 cars are passing through each day and officials state the winter is one of the busiest recorded, with no unemployment in evidence.

Bishop Fallon, in an address before the Holy Name Society, at London, Ontario, expressed the opinion that Catholics had a constitutional right to develop their schools in Ontario, up to and including the university. In a short time this would become a matter to be decided by the highest courts of the empire.

Two million dollars have been appropriated by the Imperial Oil Company for development work in Alberta during the present year, an amount considerably in excess of any previous expenditure in this province, by the company. Drilling gangs are busy at the present time piercing the crust of mother earth in various districts.



Wash Day and Backache

WASH day is the least welcome day of the week in most homes, though sweeping day is not much better. Both days are most trying on the back.

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Sunday As A Day of Rest

BY LORETTO C. LYNCH
An Acknowledged Expert in All Matters Pertaining to Household Management.

The other day I called on a sincere old gentleman who is working very hard for what is termed the "Blue Sunday." He told me he believed everyone should observe Sunday. He believed that folks who work hard six days a week should, in the interest of health, if for no other reason, have the seventh day upon which to rest. He was the speaker, I the listener. But he interrupted himself about two in the afternoon to inquire of his wife if dinner was ready. There was some sort of a feeble reply from the kitchen. Then said the man: "It's taking her all day long to bring on the dinner to-day—been at it, too, since nine this morning."

I waited, anxious to hear him denounce the lady who had been working in the kitchen from nine in the morning on "the day of REST," and I waited—but there wasn't even a murmur in this direction.

The dinner was a delight. We began with iced grapefruit and went through all the courses of the conventional dinner from soup to nuts. "You've gotten a party dinner to-day," I suggested, knowing that I had dropped in upon these folks unexpectedly and that no special preparation had been made for me.

"No, indeed; this is our regular Sunday dinner—about the same every Sunday. As just has to have a course dinner on Sunday."

It would not have been polite to say anything at the time, but who could help but think about the convenience, or rather the inconvenience, of such a situation? Here was a man who worked hard for the observance of the day of rest and the OTHER fellow then insisted on having a course dinner prepared by his own wife when he realized full well that it meant hours of work in preparation and in cleaning up.

Yet in the average workaday American family, Sunday is often the only day when all meet to gather around the family board to exchange the gossip of each one's small world. Then, must the mother work all day to provide the Sunday dinner? Must she be busy in the kitchen cooking or cleaning up, while everybody else in the family sits restfully about and reads the Sunday newspaper, or plays a quiet game, or goes to a nap?

The answer depends largely upon the woman herself. She must eliminate elaboration. She must carefully plan. She must manage to carry out her plan.

The observing woman will soon be able to gauge the appetites of each member of the family and will come pretty near to putting the required amount of food on the plate. A salad or a dessert and a drink will complete this dinner with a minimum of dishes to be washed, and mother will be able to enjoy the meal with the family.

"Why, my family would not eat meat that had been cooked the day before and then just reheated," said an indignant woman to me when I suggested that she more than half roast the beef on Saturday and finish the cooking just before serving time on Sunday. Yet both her husband and her sons were active club members and frequently attended club banquets at local hotels. The chef at one hotel told me that at one of these banquets, where more than 250 turkeys were served, they had been almost cooked the day before and the cooking was completed just before serving hours.

Plan a simple meal for Sunday. Only have desserts and other foods that will be good if they are made the day before and stand in the refrigerator over night.

If the housewife cannot have a day of complete rest, at least she should plan to do as little work as possible on the day the other folks rest.

The Eight-Hour Day

Insistent Demand of Labor Group for Legislation on This Question. This year the labor leaders repeat the request for the eight-hour day legislation. There was an insistent demand last session from members of the Labor group for such a law, but the request was side-tracked, and it was intimated at that time that a commission would be appointed to investigate. This has not been done, but it is likely that an eight-hour law will be brought in by the government at the approaching session. The Labor conference of the League of Nations, held in Washington last year, agreed that the eight-hour day should be made the law in the signatory countries. Canada was one of them, but it has been held since by the Dominion Government that such a measure can only be enacted by the Provincial Governments—Kitchener Telegram.

The success of a nurse girl depends upon her attention to little things.

WOMAN'S BEST LAXATIVE

Proved Every Day That Dr. Hamilton's Pills Are Just Right for Women's Ills.

Little wonder woman suffers so much from constipation. She always hesitates, continually puts off taking medicine.

Of course a woman's system is delicate, is easily injured by drastic purgatives. Bitter experience with harsh medicines makes her cautious, and her great injury, chronic sluggishness of the system is permitted.

Few pills are suited to the actual needs of women—they are too strong.

But there is a good woman's laxative, and it combines mildness with thoroughness of activity—it is known to the people of many nations as Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which never gripe, never cause nausea and are safe to use no matter what the conditions of strength or circumstances of health may be. A naturalness and regularity of the system, so important to every woman, is quickly acquired by the regular use of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. As a health-bringer, as a tonic laxative, as an all-round ladies' medicine, there is nothing so effective as Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut; 25c per box, at all dealers.

German Soldier's Bonus.

The city of Frankfurt has given a bonus of 50 marks to all veterans of the war of 1870-71 on the condition that they have lived within the city limits since January 1, 1920, and that their income does not exceed 3,000 marks. At the present rate of exchange this "adjusted compensation" will amount to 66 cents.

The Pill That Brings Relief.—When after has partaken of a meal he is oppressed by feelings of fullness and pains in the stomach he suffers from dyspepsia, which will persist if it is not dealt with. Parnelle's Vegetable Pills can be taken to bring relief. These pills are specially compounded to deal with dyspepsia, and their sterling qualities in this respect can be vouched for by legions of users.

Headless Query.

Kindly Old Lady.—Poor man! And are you married? Weary Tramp.—No, lady. I wouldn't be relying on total strangers for support if I had a wife, lady.

Painless and perfect in their action, Milner's Worm Powders are always safe and reliable remedy for children who show symptoms of worms. These symptoms are easily recognizable by a feverish restlessness, frequently ending in convulsions. A point of notable importance is that after Milner's Worm Powders have expelled the worms, the stomach and bowels are toned up into a very healthy condition.

House With Straw Walls.

A house with walls made of compressed straw has been erected in Paris.

The framework of the building is of wood and the sides are filled in with blocks of tightly compressed straw, which are stated to be as hard as concrete and just as unflammable. Owing to the lightness of the materials only small foundations are needed, and a house of this kind can be built in a month. The idea of using straw in this way is attributed to a French textile engineer.

Minard's Liniment For Colds, Etc.

"When I was once in danger of being killed by a lion," said an old African explorer, "I tried sitting down and staring at him, as I had no weapons."

"How did it work?" asked his companion.

"Perfectly," the lion didn't even offer to touch me."

"Strange! How do you account for it?"

"Well, some times I think it was because I sat on the top branch of a tall tree."



What's Your SKIN TROUBLE ? ? ?

Does your skin get chapped and irritable? Are you distressed by slightly reddened patches on which appear tiny water blisters that burst and form into sores? Do your arms or face feel sore, inflamed and itchy? If so, a course of treatment will have little effect. You need Zam-Buk whose refined herbal extracts penetrate to the underlying tissue and drive disease out. Being powerful antiseptic, Zam-Buk purifies the skin, soothes raw angry surfaces, stops the intolerable burning, itching, stinging, and clears away sores and eruptions.

Mr. A. Josey, Spry Harbor, Halifax, N.S., says: "I had eczema on the hands and arms for three years. I had 'eczema' make me awake night long. I had 'eczema' cure' but got no better until I applied Zam-Buk. This wonderful healer, however, has entirely rid me of the disease. I don't suffer winter skin torment a day longer. Get Zam-Buk to-day! 50c. box, all dealers."

Wealth in Sweden's Forests

Tree Must Be Planted Immediately One Is Cut.

The millionaire farmer is no novelty in Northern Sweden to-day, says a correspondent. His large forest holdings have combined with the high price of lumber to give him immense wealth. The best of it is that by strictly enforced law, no one may cut a tree there without planting another in its place, not even the owner of the land. Electric light and power have been installed in half the rural areas of Sweden, which now is a modern country. The war gave it a great impetus industrially. Motor cars are everywhere, and 75 per cent of the population is employed in one of the cheaper kinds.

Styles Surprise Released Prisoner.

Released again after twenty-five years in the notorious State Prison, the last in a line of which were spent without uttering a word, P. J. Hanley, otherwise known as "Silent Corkey," declares the things that strike him as most amazing are women's dress, the general refinement of people and the intelligence of the younger generation. High heels, short skirt and gauze stockings were his biggest amazement and he thought them foolish and funny.

HEART SO BAD WAS NOT SAFE TO LEAVE HER ALONE

Miss Eva P. Yattman, Krugersdorf, Ont., writes: "I feel that I must write and tell you of the great benefit I received from Milner's Heart and Nerve Pills. About four years ago I was taken terribly bad with my heart, nerves and fainting spells, and was down in bed for about six months. I doctored with two different doctors and seemed to get better, although the fainting spells would not leave me. I would take such terrible falls, wherever I was, that it was not safe to leave me alone at any time. At last I decided to resort to proprietary medicines and took several different kinds, but seemed to receive but little benefit from them. One day, noticing the advertisement of Milner's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and before I had taken more than two boxes I could see they were helping me. I have taken about ten boxes, and am almost cured of those terrible spells. I sincerely feel that your medicine has proved its life saving and I advise anyone troubled with their heart to try them, as I am confident they will bring relief."

Milner's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milner Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Big Gold Shipment.

The steamer Kaiserin Augusta Victoria has arrived from England with \$4,200,000 in gold for New York banks.

Sores Heal Quickly.

Have you a persistent sore that refuses to heal? Then, try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the dressing. It will stop sloughing, carry away the pus and prevent it from coming out the pus and prepare a clean way for the new skin. It is a recognized healer among oils and numbers of people can testify that it healed where properly applied.

Millions Stolen in Paris.

Twenty-four million francs in cash and securities and 10,000,000 francs worth of goods and valuables, half of which were recovered by the police, were the total amount obtained in Paris through burglaries, thefts and swindles during 1920, according to official figures made public by police headquarters. The ministry of finance alone lost 3,220,000 francs through swindles and forgeries.

Some men have good qualities, but lack the one necessary to make use of them.

No One Need Become Old

Famous London Doctor Inaugurates Training Class For Elderly Men.

"Old age is just a pose," Sir James Cantile, famous Harley Street physician, said in commenting upon his announcement that he would preside over the inauguration of a class in physical training for business and professional men of more than 50 years of age.

"A man usually grows old because he thinks it dignified," he said. "He sits back and lets the years do what they like with him. I shall be seventy in a fortnight, but I rise every morning at 4.30, and soon after that dance for a quarter of an hour."

"I prefer step dances, the Highland fling and strathspeys. There is not enough exercise in the modern dances for me."

Mrs. Mary C. Solomon, 93 years old, has been awarded first prize at a county fair in Mississippi for being the most accomplished horsewoman.

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Her Sense of Humor.

"Has your wife a sense of humor?" "I think so," replied Mr. Metkinn. "The funnier a gown looks the more she is willing to pay for it."—Washington Star.

KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL IN WINTER

Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are changeable—often bright, the next one cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or gripple. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season perfectly safely. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Reason Enough.

Susie.—"Papa, what makes a man always give a woman a diamond engagement ring?" Her Father.—"The woman,"—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Minard's Liniment For Diphtheria.

A woman likes to have a man tell her that he thinks her feet are at least two sizes smaller than he thinks they are.

Worms in children, if they be not attended to, cause convulsions, and often death. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will protect the children from these distressing afflictions.

Porter in Turkey Is 146 Years Old

Was Born in 1774 And Has Son Ninety.

Zora Mehmed, of Constantinople, who at the age of 145 used to tell reporters that he felt younger every day, is ill. Zora is now 146; and is suffering from indigestion. He blames it on a scorpion that bit his teeth he brought twenty years ago, and which he says never gave satisfaction. His original dental equipment was ruined in 1809, when he made a bet that he could lift 500 pounds with his teeth.

Authenticated birth records at the mosque in Bitlis show that Zora was born in Turkish Armenia in 1774. He has a son aged ninety and a young daughter of fifty. He has been a porter all his life, carrying heavy weights that range from 200 to 1,000 pounds. In appearance he is about seventy years old.

About the hardest crop to raise on a farm is the children.

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A woman pianist playing a piece of Mendelssohn was found by actual count to have struck 5,995 notes in four minutes and three seconds, or at the rate of considerably more than 1,200 notes a minute.

"Thou shalt not kill!" also applies to time.—Kingston Whig.

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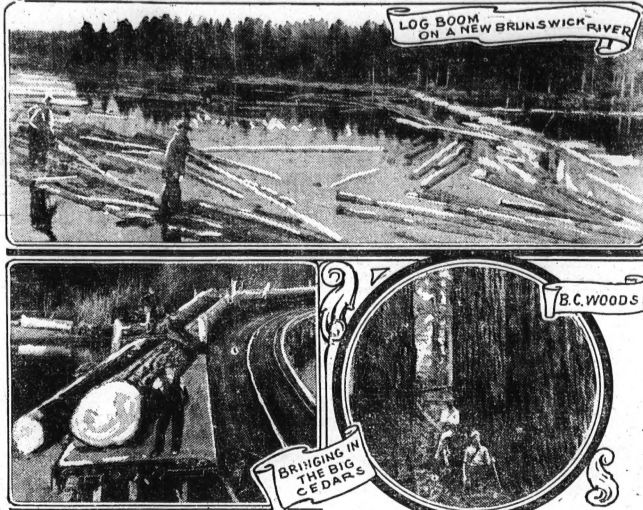
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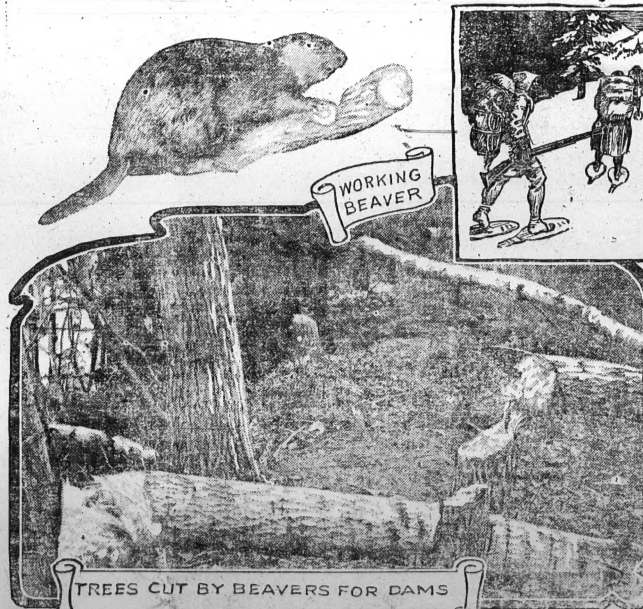
Canada's 225 million acres of merchantable timber is the second largest asset of her natural resources wealth. The bulk of this timber is within easy reach of tidewater. Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and British Columbia can almost dump their logs in the oceans, while Quebec and Ontario have the St. Lawrence River for a path to the sea.

In 1908 the greater part of Canadian lumber exports went out in the raw state, only a little over one-third was manufactured in Canada. The next ten years saw a strong and continued increase in industrial development and by 1917 the tables had quite turned. In that year more than 70% of Canada's lumber exports were manufactured and less than one-third left the country in a raw state.

Ever increasing demand for pulpwood and paper is responsible in large measure for this rapid development. American imports of Canadian woodpulp (all kinds) for four months, ending July 31st, 1920, amounted to \$20,823,851. According to latest statistics Canada's available supply of pulpwood is 301,000,000 cords and covers 350,000 square miles. Over a third of this spruce and balsam stands in the eastern provinces, convenient to the eastern states with their many newspapers and publishing houses. It is estimated that, at the present rate of cutting, this supply will hold out for 62 years. Strict cutting regulations, wise conservation and reforestation plans are looked to prevent the annihilation of Canadian forests and lumbering industries.

British Columbia's woods are attracting much foreign capital. American money is going into new pulp and paper mills on the Pacific Coast. Approximately 85% of all capital invested in the paper pulp industry in Canada is American. An English syndicate is building a \$250,000 furniture factory in British Columbia. Box factories flourish all over the province, the small fruits, vegetable, honey and poultry ranches of the southern part of the province need countless crates and boxes for getting their produce to market. British Columbia's strategic situation for shipping to Pacific Coast ports and the Orient, its numerous good harbors and the fact that the climate permits all the year round lumbering have not been overlooked by capital seeking investment.

Mr. Beaver—Dam and Empire Builder



Anyone who first gazes on the shield of the Canadian Pacific Railway is struck with the flap tailed little animal sitting in the foreground. This is no less than Mr. Beaver, the chap who started out to build a dam and built up the Dominion of Canada in addition for good measure.

Columbus did not seek pelts when he discovered America. Others came to find China, but when Cathay did not prove to be around the corner and the Iroquois signed the bus-

iness certificates with the end of his tomahawk the St. Lawrence would probably have been abandoned but for its upper reaches which yammered and screeched with beavers. The French founded Montreal with bail, book and beaver skin—the original name of the city was Hochelaga, which means "Beaver Meadow." Mr. Beaver even became the medium of exchange, even as tobacco in the early days of Virginia, and no Indian could buy the coveted gun or the necklace his Mingahua longed for without the precious pelts.

Canada received its start as the

land of furs and particularly beaver. Civilization followed the trapper and trader, and as the fur trade worked eastward, the white man went with it, device, a new territory and established new outposts in the conquest of the wilderness.

Mr. Beaver is still an important personage. Within the last year a company was organized in Montreal with a capital of \$5,000,000 to conduct fur auctions and Canada is becoming a great fur market as well as the world's great fur producer—and beaver is still the staple of its fur trade.

VIKING.

W. J. Charleson, of Calgary, representing the DeLo-Light Co., was in town last week calling on the local dealers, Messrs. McAtthey and Jones. Mr. Charleson informed us that the sales force in Alberta made the best record for 1920, having sold more electric light plants than any other province or State in the Union. There had been a competition on during the year and the Alberta organization was awarded a prize of one thousand dollars. The record was remarkable as Alberta is one of the most western provinces and the freight and duty charges are the heaviest, also the territory the most widely scattered. In competition with their American rivals in the face of duty and exchange charges the showing is remarkable and speaks well for the Alberta organization, and also for the customers who have installed this well-known make of electric plant, as the convenience of electricity on the farm, as well as in business places and homes is too obvious for further comment.

Our hockey boys braved the cold weather last Saturday and drove to Killam and played a return game with the puck-chasers of that burg who defeated them here on New Year's day 7 to 3. Our lads turned the tables this time and came home with a 5 to 3 score over the C.P.R. bunch. Three fifteen minute periods were played. Killam scored two goals in the first period, and Viking one, made by Monte Hoskins. In the second frame, Monte nicked the nets for three more, and Harland Hilliker passed another in for good measure. Killam slipped one in. The third period was as scoreless as could be, neither doing but cutting loose on both sides and skating up and down the ice trying to score, but the goal tenders were as tight as the proverbial lid. The game ended with a total of five to three in favor of the hardy Vikings. Grant Murray, of Killam, handled the indicator.

The Viking team lined-up as follows: Monte Hoskins, left wing; F. Watkins, right wing; Chester Gravert, centre; H. Hilliker, rover; Sandy Ross, sub left wing; McDonald, defense; H. Lawes, goal; Johnny O'Leary, sub, centre. J. Bishop was the teamster, and Geo. McLeod, manager, accompanied the team.

After the game the boys were given free admission to the picture show. On account of the cold weather only a small crowd turned out to see the game, however the boys gave a good account of themselves, and winning after such a long cold trip shows that they put up a good brand of hockey as the Killam boys are a fast bunch on any ice. The boys stood the long cold journey well, although Monte had his feet frozen while playing.

The team is arranging games with Wainwright and Ryley.

Miss Hildred O'Leary gave a skating party at the skating rink last Friday evening which proved a very enjoyable affair. After an hour's skate, the crowd numbering about ten couple, adjourned to the O'Leary home where after a lot of games and music, Mrs. O'Leary assisted by Miss Hildred, served a real good lunch.

A social dance to be given by the boys will be held in McLeod's Hall on Wednesday evening, January 28th. The best of music is being engaged. Don't miss it. Tell your friends about it and come.

Dr. W. C. McClurg, dentist, of To-feld, made his first professional visit to town last week, and reports that he was well patronized and has made arrangements to be here at the King Edward hotel on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of this week. Dr. McClurg has the reputation of being a very good dentist. Inquiries at Holden and To-feld where he has a practice substantiates this. He will make regular visits to Viking two days a week, the dates to be announced in The News when Dr. decides which days will be the most suitable.

The Ash Trophy which had a short and checkered life in Viking two years ago, is now in the hands of the Capital curling rink of Edmonton, who won it from Camrose by one point, the same margin as the Viking curlers took it from Camrose. This is a much coveted cup, and challenges for it are numerous. The Royal Rink of Edmonton has the first chance at it.

Miss Ethel Cross who has been taking a course in nursing at the Royal Alexandra hospital, Edmonton, has been forced to relinquish her studies there, and has taken up her former position in the Bruce telephone exchange.

The Band Committee has purchased a new bass drum and a new snare drum for the band. The drum section is well equipped now, having drums that Sousa's band would be proud to own.

A big Masquerade Ball will be held in McLeod's Hall on Friday evening, February 4th. Prepare your costumes for it and have the biggest time of your life.

Three rinks from Viking are attending the Wainwright Bonspiel this week, skipped by Messrs. McAtthey, Omen and Long.

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